

Isn't your
life's goal
to make a
real difference?



If yes, then enroll for this course in
creative social work

PGD SRR

(P.G. Diploma in Sustainable Rural Reconstruction)



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The Gandhi Research Foundation (GRF) has been established with the objective of reviving Gandhiji's values of truth, nonviolence, co-existence, harmony, fraternity, and equality. The GRF, one of the premier Gandhian research institutions, provides a unique learning opportunity by offering training in developmental leadership through research pedagogy, fieldwork, and structured instruction based on Gandhiji's philosophy.



Learning by doing

The P.G. Diploma in Sustainable Rural Reconstruction

(PGD SRR)

Course design

- ▶ Duration: One-year residential program
- ▶ Team building through fieldwork
- ▶ Learning-by-doing: Planning and implementation
- ▶ Full scholarship
- ▶ Board and lodging on the GRF campus
- ▶ Stipend during internship
- ▶ Feasibility of placement assurance after successful completion of PGD course
- ▶ Selected group: 20 students from different states
- ▶ Medium of instruction: English & Hindi



Learning by playing



Work Presentation

Course structure

- ▶ 5 months Campus training
- ▶ 1 month Internship with Non-Governmental Organisation (NGO) / Development organisation
- ▶ 4 months Field placement in villages
- ▶ 1 month Examinations and submission of dissertation

Faculty speak

“Through this diploma program, we are trying to orient the youth desirous of building a nonviolent society in India with a rural basis.”

– **Prof. Sudarshan Iyengar**
Director, Gandhi Research Foundation



Guest Lectures



Exposure visits

Faculty

Apart from the in-house facilitators and research staff, foremost social entrepreneurs and outstanding guest researchers will contribute to the success of the course.

- ▶ **Prof. Sudarshan Iyengar**
- ▶ **Prof. Gita Dharampal**
- ▶ **Dr. Ashwin Zala**
- ▶ **Girish Kulkarni**
- ▶ **Dr. Nirmala Parmar**
- ▶ **Sudhir Patil**
- ▶ **Aditi Trivedi**

“If you are a socially aware and committed young person, this is the course for you: it will provide you with foundational knowledge and the wherewithal to make a real difference in bringing about sustainable rural reconstruction.”

– **Prof. Gita Dharampal**
Research Dean, Gandhi Research Foundation



Community Leadership



Community Farming



Library



Community Prayer

Admission fees: ₹6500/-

Admission for the **P.G. Diploma in Sustainable Rural Reconstruction 2022-23** commencing from August 1, 2022 is now open.

Number of seats: 20 (with a focus on gender equity!)

ADMISSION OPEN

For application, Contact GRF office

Also available on GRF website

Online Application URL & QR Code

http://www.gandhifoundation.net/GRF_post_graduate_diploma.htm



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